

WILLIAM T. PECORA AWARD

<u>Date Award Granted</u>	<u>Nominee</u>	<u>Won Award</u>
1975	None - no response mailed.	---
1976	None - no response mailed	---
1977	None - no response mailed	---
1978	No nominee - no response mailed	-
1979	No nominee - response not sent	-
1983	No nominee - no response sent	-

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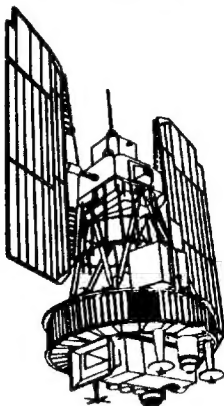
William T. Pecora Award



10th Annual Presentation 1983

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Professor of Meteorology, University of Wisconsin
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National Aeronautics and Space Administration
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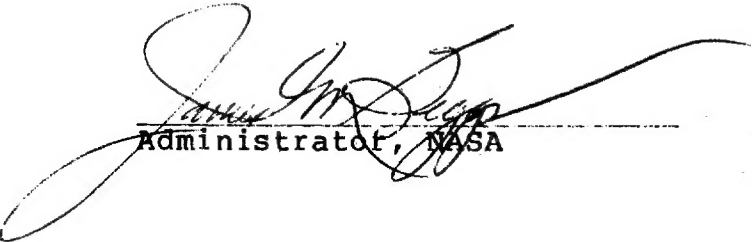
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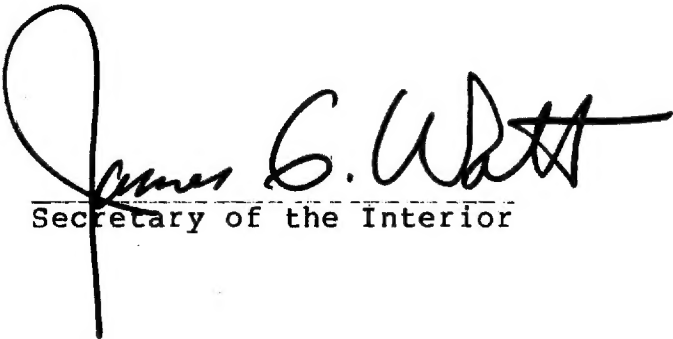
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Administrator, NASA


Secretary of the Interior

27 APR 1983

- Called NASA and spoke
to Linda Plato (755-3645)
(Info ^{Locator Control} 755-2320) re the
William T. Pecora Award.
Deadline for this year's
nominations will be July 15th 1983.
She will send me info
on it. Told her we ~~think~~
not have a nominee for
this year but perhaps next
year.

VA ...the Administrator's Annual Hands and Heart Award continues to be widely supported by VA's medical centers. This award recognizes the employee in each medical facility who consistently does the most to exercise professional expertise and to provide emotional support, help, and guidance to patients above and beyond the call of duty. Contact: June Miller at 389-3288.

National Endowment for the Humanities ...the annual incentive awards ceremony has become a much anticipated yearly event. Employees at all levels are urged to participate on their own time on one of the planning committees. The committees decorate the ceremony hall from materials on hand; arrange for economical refreshments and furnish serving equipment; and provide entertainment, when available, at no cost

to the agency. Supervisors and managers serve the refreshments. As a result of this joint involvement and commitment, both managers and employees are more aware of the potential benefits of performance excellence. Contact: Alan Taylor at 724-0356.

Defense Nuclear Agency ...in order to assure that all employees receive consideration for awards outside of the DNA awards program, special awards bulletins are used to publicize these awards and provide pertinent information including eligibility criteria and nominations procedures. Contact: Joan W. Scott at 325-7591.

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Of Interest ...

- OPM is currently developing an optional suggestion form that will be

available for use by all Government agencies. Agencies will have an opportunity to review and comment on this proposed form when it has been designed. The new form will incorporate all of the required elements and include features that are currently contained in forms being used by most departments and agencies.

- There will be a new career service emblem to recognize employees. Additionally, there are two other changes. The first is to begin recognition at 10 years of service and provide emblems at 10 year intervals. The second change is that there will be a standard Government-wide certificate which would be provided to the employee together with the pin. Use of the certificate will be optional. All of these changes are expected to occur early in FY 1984.

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Incentive Awards Calendar

MAY 1983						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
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22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

Date: May 10-11, 1983

- **Event:** National Association of Suggestion Systems (NASS) seminar in Chicago, Illinois, at the Ramada O'Hare Inn.

Description: Basic Concepts and Operation Session. Fee \$200 members; \$260 non-members. Contact NASS, 230 N. Michigan Avenue, Suite 1200, Chicago, IL 60601 (312) 372-1770.

Date: May 14, 1983

- **Event:** William A. Jump award presented at Agriculture's annual departmental awards ceremony.

Description: For outstanding service in administration and notable contributions to the efficiency and quality of public service.

- **Event:** Alan T. Waterman award winner announced at annual ceremony.

Description: Honors U.S. citizens under 35 who have completed scientific or engineering research that exhibits quality, innovation, and potential for discovery.

Date: June 1, 1983

- **Event:** Outstanding Handicapped Federal Employee of the Year nominations deadline.

Description: To recognize the versatility, and wide range of Federal job duties being performed by persons with physical disabilities.

Date: June 8-9, 1983

- **Event:** National Association of Suggestion Systems (NASS) Seminar in Arlington, Virginia at the Westpark Hotel.

Description: See May 10-11. Fee \$220 members; \$260 non-members.

Date: June 10, 1983

- **Event:** Warner W. Stockberger Achievement Award nominations deadline.

Description: To recognize and honor a person in public or private life who has made an outstanding contribution to public personnel management.

Date: June 15, 1983

- **Event:** Younger Federal Lawyer Award nominations deadline.

Description: To encourage younger Federal lawyers throughout the Nation and overseas to attain high standards of professional achievement and to acknowledge outstanding performance.

JUNE 1983						
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Date: July 15, 1983

- **Event:** William T. Pecora Award nominations deadline.
- **Description:** To recognize the outstanding contributions of individuals or groups toward the understanding of the earth by means of remote sensing, sponsored by NASA and the Department of the Interior.

Incentive Awards Notes

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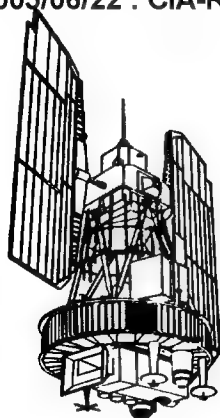


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No. 1	SPECIAL SUPPLEMENT TO NOTES	1980
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ITEM #1 - Presidential Message

The attached Presidential memorandum announces the winners of the Presidential Management Improvement Awards and requests that agency heads continue to recommend for Presidential letters of commendation those persons who contribute significantly to increasing productivity, improving services, conserving energy and other vital resources, eliminating paperwork and developing and applying new and existing technology (instructions on the preparation of such recommendations are contained in FPM Chapter 451, subchapter 3-6).

ITEM #2 - NCSL Awards--due date Extended

The due date for submission of nominations for the National Civil Service League Awards has been extended to the end of February. A copy of the original announcement is enclosed.

ITEM #3 - Roger W. Jones Award for Executive Leadership

A reminder that nominations for the Roger W. Jones Award, sponsored by the American University, are due no later than February 1, 1980. See attached news release.

ITEM #4 - 7th Annual William T. Pecora Award

Nominations are now being accepted for the 7th annual awards program established in 1974 to honor the memory of Dr. William T. Pecora. Nominations should be submitted no later than February 21, 1980.

ITEM #5 - EPA's 9th Honor Awards Ceremony

At a ceremony held December 19, 1979, EPA Administrator Douglas Costle presented Distinguished Career and Gold and Silver Medal Awards, Awards for Excellence and Public Health Service Meritorious Service Medals to 26 individuals and 8 groups (limited distribution of brochure).

ITEM # 6 - Nuclear Regulatory Commission's Fourth Annual Awards Ceremony

NRC Chairman Joseph Hendrie, at a ceremony held November 20, 1979, presented 21 individuals with Distinguished and Meritorious Service Awards, and recognized 4 individuals through EEO Awards.

Attachments



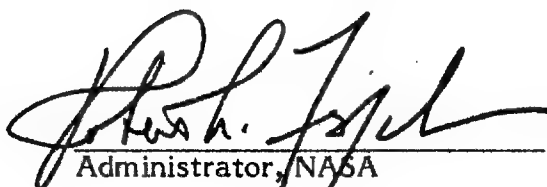
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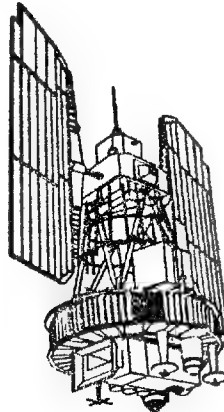

Secretary of the Interior

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MEMORANDUM FOR

No 1979 nominee. The only info we've received thus far was from [redacted] thru the OPM.

We have never submitted a nomination nor negative response.

Follow suit?
Since there is no specific invitation for this award, a negative response is not required.

Date

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ACTION PAPER

OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT
Incentive Awards
Washington, D.C. 20415

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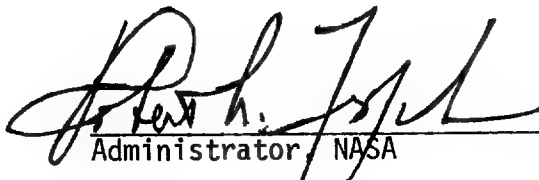
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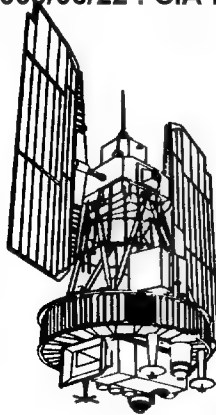
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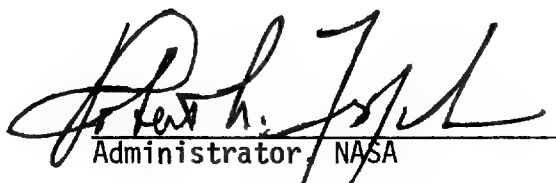
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Suggestions?
Comments?

Nominations due 10 July.

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I don't believe we have to
send negative response to blanket
type requests. Did we send
something last year?

Date

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William T. Pecora Award Committee
Office of Personnel Management
Department of the Interior
Washington, D. C. 20240

Gentlemen:

This is in response to your announcement requesting nominations for the William T. Pecora Award.

The Agency is appreciative of your invitation to participate in this program but will not recommend a candidate for consideration this year. However, in the future we will look forward to submitting nominees who have made outstanding contributions to the art or science of the understanding of the earth through remote sensing.

Sincerely,

F. W. M. Janney
Director of Personnel

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ROUTING AND RECORD SHEET

SUBJECT: (Optional)

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FROM:

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY
SUGGESTION AND ACHIEVEMENT
AWARDS COMMITTEE
1001 AMES BUILDING

EXTENSION

NO.

DATE

3 April 1978

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TO: (Officer designation, room number, and building)

DATE

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As you'll note, nominations close 10 July.

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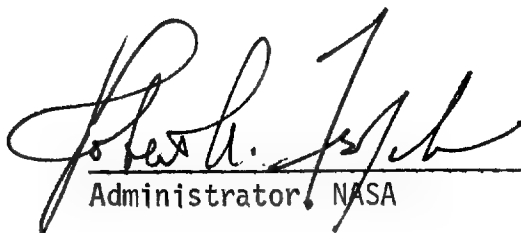
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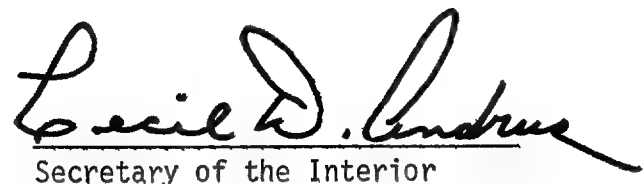
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Administrator, NASA

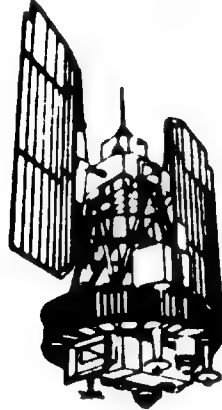

Secretary of the Interior

William T. Pecora Award



**5th Annual Presentation
1978**

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and
Laboratory for Application of Remote Sensing of Purdue University.

1977—Robert N. Colwell, School of Forestry, University of California, Berkeley

1977—Michel T. Halbouty, Consulting Geologist and Petroleum Engineer, The Halbouty Center

Suggested format:

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Name: _____

Title: _____

Employed by: _____

Business address: _____

Describe briefly, on no more than two pages, the nominee's outstanding contributions to the art or science of the understanding of the earth through observations made from space.

NOMINATED BY:

Name

Title

Address

(Please submit an original and seven copies.)

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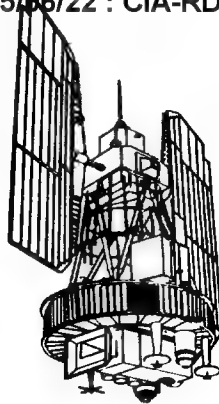


William T. Pecora Award

**4th Annual Presentation
1977**

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1977 RECIPIENTS

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18 MAR 1977

Received today from CSC.

Wonder if CIA would have a nomination for the William T. Pecora Award.

If you need more information, I'll be happy to ask George Britton, Incentive Awards Officer at Department of the Interior. I see him occasionally as we are among the several members of the NCC/NASS Board.

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3) We include both the Wilson and Pecora awards in our annual Agency review.

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~~No nominees for 1977~~

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Held for 1977 nominations. Deadline 29 July. No nominees necessary.

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UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
OFFICE OF INCENTIVE SYSTEMS
Washington, D.C. 20415

March 11, 1977

No. 3 SPECIAL SUPPLEMENT TO NOTES 1977
*This supplement is distributed to headquarters offices only.
Please circulate this information to others within your
organization with incentive awards responsibilities.*

ITEM #1 - Joseph C. Wilson Award for 1977

Attached is an announcement for the 1977 Joseph C. Wilson Award, which is sponsored by the Rochester Association for the United Nations. Accompanied by the sum of \$10,000, the award recognizes an individual who has made outstanding contributions to the peaceful resolution of international problems. The previous year's recipient was Dr. Harold Brown, now Secretary of Defense.

ITEM #2 - William T. Pecora Award

The attached pamphlet invites nominations for the 1977 William T. Pecora Award. Sponsored jointly by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration and the Department of the Interior, the award recognizes outstanding contributions of groups or individuals toward the understanding of the earth by means of remote sensing.

ITEM #3 - New Evaluation Guidelines

The Civil Service Commission's Personnel Management Evaluation staffs have recently received a revised set of guidelines for evaluating incentive awards programs, prepared by this office. By more carefully defining and organizing the areas of inquiry, the new guidelines should improve both the quantity and quality of evaluation coverage in the incentive awards area. We intend to continue to extract and forward for your attention materials from the Civil Service Commission's personnel management evaluation reports (for further information call 632-5568).

Attachments

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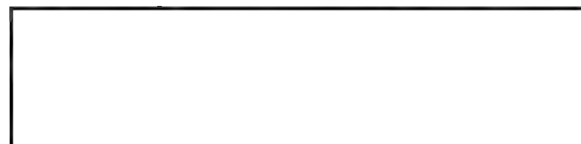
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15 APR 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Benefits and Services Division, OP
SUBJECT : William T. Pecora Award - 1976

The Directorate of Science and Technology does not have any candidates for subject award this year. A survey of all the DDS&T components surfaced only one potential candidate. Unfortunately, subsequent discussions with the office and the individual concerned have revealed that the bulk of the information supporting this nomination was highly classified and could not be sanitized without totally dilluting the justification for the award.



Executive Officer
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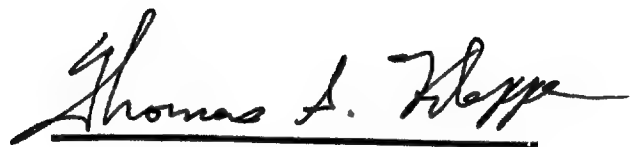
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Administrator, NASA


Secretary of the Interior

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William T. Pecora Award



3rd Annual Presentation

1976

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NOMINATED BY:

Name

Title

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William T. Pecora Award - 1976

Chief, Benefits and Services Division
5 E 69, Headquarters

19 March 1976

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Executive Officer/DDS&T
6 E 56, Headquarters

Charlie:

Attached is an invitation for nominations for the William T. Pecora Award. This is a new award, which was established in 1974 to recognize outstanding contributions to the understanding of the earth through remote sensing and observations made from space. The Agency has not previously submitted a nomination, nor have we included this award in our annual request to the Directorates for public service award nominations. In the future this award will be included in our annual solicitation.

At this time, however, it is requested that you determine if DDS&T might have a candidate for 1976. Could you let me know by 16 April if you have a nominee? The Agency has a 25 June deadline for final submission of a nomination.

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Remarks:

DO/SET is likely source of nominees. Please prepare routing sheet to [redacted] asking them to consider possible nominees and let us know by 16 April. He will consider this the 1976 review and the brochure will cover nominees for 1977.

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Nominations are due for this award on 25 June. When the Public Service Awards brochure goes out in April, we ask for nominations by about 10 May. If someone came forth with a nomination by 10 May, we would have six weeks to work with (not really very long, but S&T is usually prompt and they are the most likely source of a nominee). What do you think? Ask now, or in the brochure?

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I have very roughly drafted up two new awards for our Public Service Awards brochure. They are attached, plus the announcements we had last year.

NO Since the winner of the Wilson Award must be available to make lectures and attend seminars, should it be included in our awards program? Perhaps the individual offices would make that determination before nominating a candidate. Also, Mr. Colby has always selected the nominee for the Rockefeller Award. Since the Wilson Award also involves money and prestige, do you think Mr. Bush should select nominee? *NO*

AGREE The Pecora Award seems aimed at something like DD/S&T. However, DDI might have candidates. It would be simplest to include this in the brochure.

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This looks good. I'd like to try to convince everyone to put all of the awards in the booklet. Could even draft statements for Rockefeller, etc. regardless of time frames, etc? ☐

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I talked to Brengel about the short deadline on this. His office had sent it to us along with other publicity data recently.

As to whether the 20 June date was firm, Brengel said this would be up to NASA and Dept of Interior who are running the show. He suggested that I talk to our Vice President of NCC/NASS, George H. Britton, Incentive Awards O, Dept of the Interior (Code 183/7965.)

Geo Britton said that this was sent out to depts and agencies in February. (Apparently we were skipped). ~~RENAME~~ Britton will ensure that we are on the list for future years. Britton had asked NASA to send any copies beyond the normal distribution on this to Brengels Office a month or so ago as examples of publicity. That is how we received this copy.

As for this year, Britton will hold off the meeting to review nominations until 7 or even 14 July if he actually knows that we have a candidate. However, he would need to know verbally by 27 June if we have a nomination on the way that is only awaiting the final typing and signature so as to reach him at Interior reasonably early in July 75.

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William T. Pecora Award



2nd Annual Presentation

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NOMINATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED NOT LATER THAN JUNE 20, 1975

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Title: _____

Employed by: _____

Business address: _____

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NOMINATED BY:

Name

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